



The 1st Antwerp Bony Obliteration Tympanoplasty – BOT Course **June 4-6 2014**

Intro

After many years of experience with the Bony Obliteration Tympanoplasty technique (BOT) at our department, with excellent results (very low recurrence and residual rate), as shown during the long term follow up with by non-EPI Diffusion Weight MRI, we are proud to present you the first Antwerp Bony Obliteration Tympanoplasty Course (Antwerp BOT Course). In our fully equipped SkillsLab (www.skillslab-antwerpen.be) we will teach you all the practical skills needed to perform a state of the art bony obliteration. In short theoretical lectures we will explain our philosophy. The radiological pre-operative work-up and postoperative follow-up, which are a necessary prerequisite for safely and successfully applying the BOT, will be taught by our world leading radiologists in the otological field.

Highlights

Middle Ear Biology & Pathology - Retraction Pocket, Cholesteatoma, COM - Radiology in COM - Cholesteatoma surgery - Canal Wall Up, Combined Approach - Canal Wall Reconstruction - Tympano-Ossicular Reconstruction - Paratympanic Bony Obliteration

Programme

The Antwerp BOT Course is spread over 3 days. A hands on training is combined with lectures on the theoretical background and live surgery.

Local Faculty

Erwin Offeciers, Thomas Somers, Andrzej Zarowski, Bert De Foer, Jan Casselman, Joost van Dinther

Honorary Guest Faculty

Ulf Mercke (Lund – Sweden)

Registrations

Registrations are based on a first registered first served basis.

The course fee (dinner included) is € 1975.

Hotel

We work with the Firean Hotel and The Bread & Breakfast. The course secretary can give you more information about these accommodations.

Visit Antwerp

Antwerp: Maritime, Fashion, Diamonds, Rubens and Otology. For the latest information about the city visit www.visitantwerpen.be.

See you soon in Antwerp!

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Programme

Day 1 Wednesday June 4

08:00 Welcome
08:30 Middle Ear Biology
09:00 Retraction Pockets - Cholesteatoma
10:00 Radiology in COM: Bert De Foer – Jan Casselman
11:00 Decision Making & Counseling
11:30 Principles of Bony Obliteration
Intermezzo with LIVE SURGERY Prof. Offeciers
12:00 Lunch
14:00 Intro: Bone Grafting
14:30 Dissection: Bone Grafting
15:30 Intro: Canal Wall Up Approach
16:00 Dissection: Mastoidectomy & Posterior Tympanotomy
Intermezzo with LIVE SURGERY Prof. Offeciers
18:00 Drinks at the European Institute for ORL-HNS
19:00 Free evening: hit the town!

Day 2 Thursday June 5

08:00 Intro: Bony Obliteration
08:30 Dissection: Canaloplasty & Obliteration
11:30 Peri-operative care
Intermezzo with LIVE SURGERY Dr. Somers
12:00 Lunch
13:00 The Difficult Case
13:30 Intro: Obliteration of a unstable Cavity
14:00 Dissection: Cavity Reconstruction
Intermezzo with LIVE SURGERY Dr. Somers
19:00 Course Dinner

Day 3 Friday June 6

08:00 The Very Difficult Cases
08:30 Intro: Subtotal Petrosectomy with blind sac closure of the EAC
09:00 Dissection: Exclusion and obliteration of the Ear
11:00 The Follow Up & Results
12:00 Lunch
13:00 Discussion and Case presentation: attendants are encouraged to present their difficult cases for discussion
15:00 Feedback forms & Adjourn

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